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July 8th, 2016

To The Members Of The Transportation Commission:

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Transportation Commission will be held on **Wednesday July 20th, 2016 at 8:30 a.m.** in the Common Council Chambers.

Enclosed please find:

- A. Agenda for the meeting of July 20, 2016.
- B. Minutes of the meeting held June 15, 2016.
- C. Correspondence pertaining to the agenda of the July 20, 2016 meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas Soyk, Acting Chairman
by: Anthony Marena, Secretary

PLANS/SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS, ETC. FOR COMMON COUNCIL REFERRAL AGENDA ITEMS ARE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKING. PLEASE CALL TO SCHEDULE IF YOU DESIRE. PLEASE NOTIFY US IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND THE MEETING.

TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

Agenda

July 20, 2016

I. Approval of Minutes

1. Approval of the minutes of the meeting held on June 15, 2016.

II. Old Business

1. Hillside Terrace - Request from Ms. Beth Kava to modify the existing parking regulation on Hillside Terrace from 1 hour parking, "7:30 AM to 6:30 PM" to 3 hour parking, "7:30 AM to 6:30 PM". She feels the 1 hour duration is too short.

The staff has sent letters to the residents in the area and received a total of seventeen responses, only 3 were in favor of changes to the parking regulation. Based on this the staff did not recommend any changes.

2. Ridgeway - Request from Mr. Steve Brady to create a "No Parking Any Time" on the north side of Ridgeway between Albemarle Road and Pilgrim Road.

The staff has sent letters to the residents in the area and received a total of sixteen responses, only 6 were in favor of changes to the parking regulation. Based on this the staff did not recommend any changes.

3. Soundview Avenue - Request from Dr. Garret Weber to conduct a study of the area. Dr. Weber feels that motorists often speed on this road and does not feel that it is safe for pedestrians whom are walking on the shoulder.

The staff field conducted a field survey of the area, the roadway width is approximately thirty feet. The staff recommended painting a shoulder line on the roadway would delineate an area for pedestrians to use as well as giving motorist the impression that the roadway is narrower.

III. New Business

1. Holland Avenue - Request from Ms. Sarina Russell, 110 Holland Avenue to modify the parking regulation in front of her home to "No Parking 10A-11A". She feels the current 1 hour restriction is too short.

The staff has already sent letters to the residents in the area and has only received one response. The staff recommended that this item be held an additional month to allow more time for responses prior to making any recommendations

2. North Kensico Avenue - Request from Ms. Crystal Stowell, 10 Stewart place to modify the parking regulation on North Kensico Avenue where the roadway turns sharply just before Ross Street. She feels that the roadway is too narrow to allow parking in the curve.

The staff field reviewed the location, based on the pavement width around the turn the staff recommended that the parking restriction be extended proximately 50 feet on the west side of North Kensico Avenue to include the area throughout the curve.

3. Driveways to Department of Public Safety - Request from Department of Public Safety to review the restrictions on their driveway. The driveway connects South Lexington Avenue to Quarropas Street. Some cars are using this driveway as a shortcut to avoid the nearby traffic signal. Currently signs exist informing drivers that this driveway is for "Police Vehicles Only" but are being ignored.

The staff recommended that this area be posted with "Do Not Enter - Police Vehicles Only" signs at The City property line from the Quarropas Street approach since the driveway is only intended to serve police vehicles and staff not a public street.

4. 100 Mamaroneck Avenue - Request from taxi drivers to create a taxi stand for 2 cars in front of the Dollar Tree Store.

The area requested for a taxi stand in front of the Dollar Tree Store is currently a loading zone. This loading zone is utilized for deliveries to the Dollar Tree during overnight hours. The staff recommended that the loading zone on the opposite side of the roadway in the vicinity of 99 Mamaroneck could be used as an overnight taxi stand.

5. Winchester Street - Request from Department of Parking, to review the parking regulations on Winchester Street, the end of the roadway currently does not have any restrictions.

The staff recommended that the end of the roadway be posted as "No Parking Any Time".

IV. Common Council Referrals

1. 213 East Post Road (Alex Lounge Bar & Grill) - Request for a special permit for an accessory cabaret.

The staff has no traffic related concerns.

V. Addendum

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Minutes of Meeting of Wednesday, June 15, 2016 – 8:30AM

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Members Present: Thomas Soyk, Acting Chairman
Melissa Briggs
Anthony Carr Deputy Commissioner of DPW (for R. Hope)
Daniel Spencer, Deputy Corporation Counsel (for J. Callahan)
Nicholas Kralik, Capt.-Commander, Traffic Div. (for D. Chong)

Staff Members Present: Anthony Marena, Transportation Engineer

Members Absent: John P. Larson, Commissioner Department of Parking
Christopher Gomez, Commissioner of Planning
Ken Burford

Staff Members Absent:

Others Present: Lisa Lopilato, Secretary to the Commissioner of Parking

I. Approval of Minutes

On a motion made, seconded and carried, the minutes of the May 18, 2016 and the May 19, 2016 meetings were approved.

II. Old Business

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She feels the 1 hour duration is too short.

The staff has sent letters to the residents in the area and received some responses. The staff recommended that this item be held an additional month to allow more time for responses prior to making any recommendations.

On a motion made, seconded and carried, the Commission approved the staff recommendation.

2. Ridgeway - Request from Mr. Steve Brady to create a "No Parking Any Time" on the north side of Ridgeway between Albemarle Road and Pilgrim Road.

The staff has sent letters to the residents in the area and received some responses. The staff recommended that this item be held an additional month to allow more time for responses prior to making any recommendations.

On a motion made, seconded and carried, the Commission approved the staff recommendation

III. New Business

1. Soundview Avenue - Request from Dr. Garrett Weber to conduct a study of the area. Dr. Weber feels that motorists often speed on this road and does not feel that it is safe for pedestrians who are walking in the shoulder.

The staff field reviewed the location. During the field review they noticed that the electronic speed display sign in the vicinity of Dr. Weber's home was obstructed by tree branches reducing visibility. A work order was prepared to trim the branches. The staff also noticed that only one speed limit sign exists on Soundview Avenue between Old Mamaroneck Road and Prospect Street coming into the City and two signs leaving the City. The staff felt that additional speed signs would be beneficial.

The staff also discussed possible revisions to pavement markings such as a white shoulder line to delineate an area for pedestrians and/or bicycles and possibly a double yellow centerline. The staff needs additional time to gather dimensions for the entire area.

Captain Kralik added that police have been enforcing in that area.

On a motion made, seconded and carried, the Commission approved the staff recommendation.

IV. COMMON COUNCIL REFERRALS

V. ADDENDUM

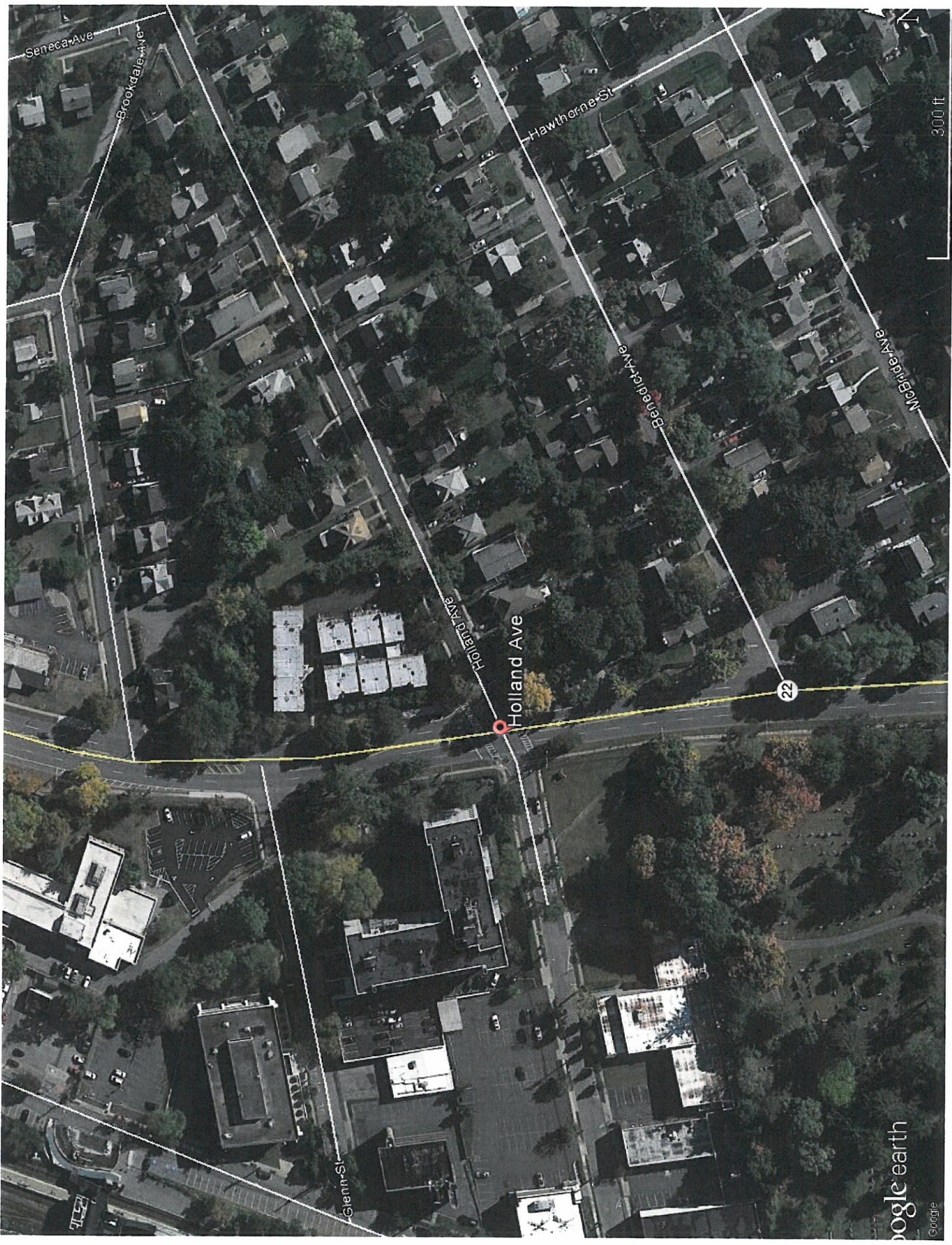
ADJOURNMENT

On a motion made, seconded and carried, the meeting adjourned at 8:38 AM.

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Sanna Russell (914)

Re: 110 Holland Ave
Permit parking for a resident
to park for more than an
hour in front of their
own house — have received
and paid many tickets and
want to start the process ASAP
to get a permit, or change
the regulation to no parking
10:00 - 11:00.



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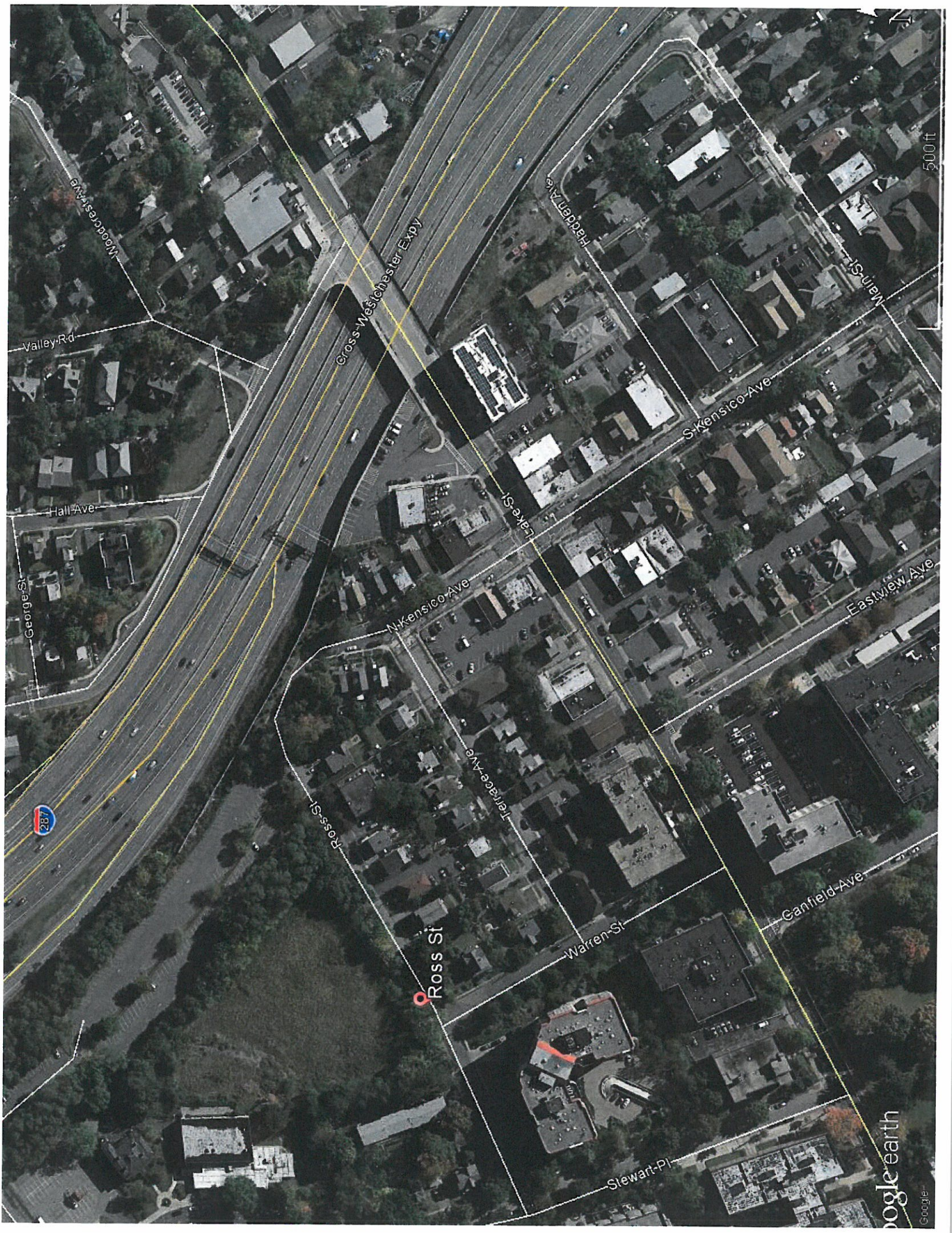
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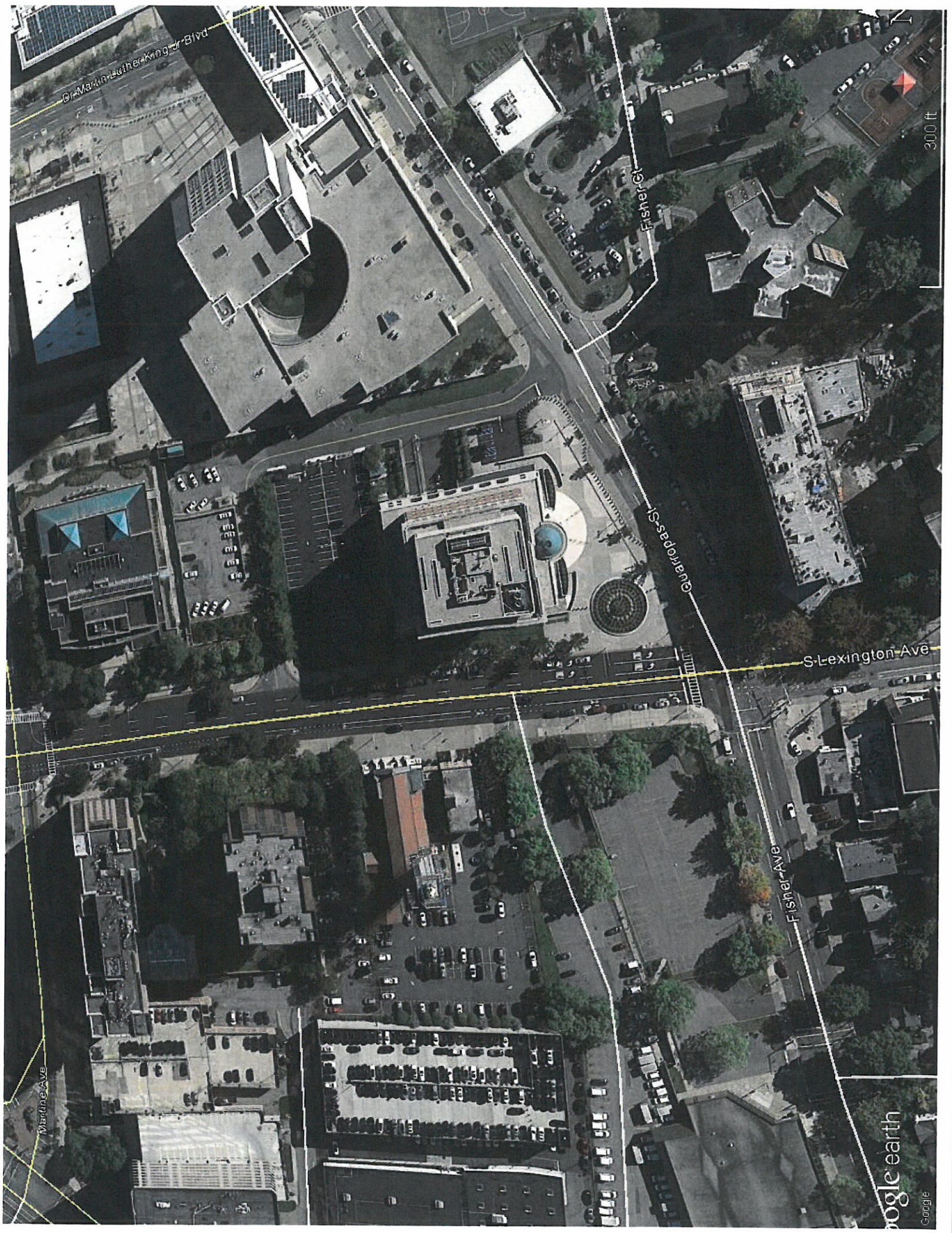
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Whom would you like to contact?	Parking
Question / Comment	<p>To Whom It May Concern, I am writing to request a reassessment of the street parking available at the bend where Ross St. intersects with North Kensico Ave. At the corner, there is a fire hydrant on the I-287 side of the street. If a car parks "after" this fire hydrant on that side of the street, and another car parks at a similar location on the other side of the street, it creates a very dangerous blind turn from both sides. I think it would be safer for the drivers of the community if one of these spaces was eliminated. Thank you for your consideration.</p>

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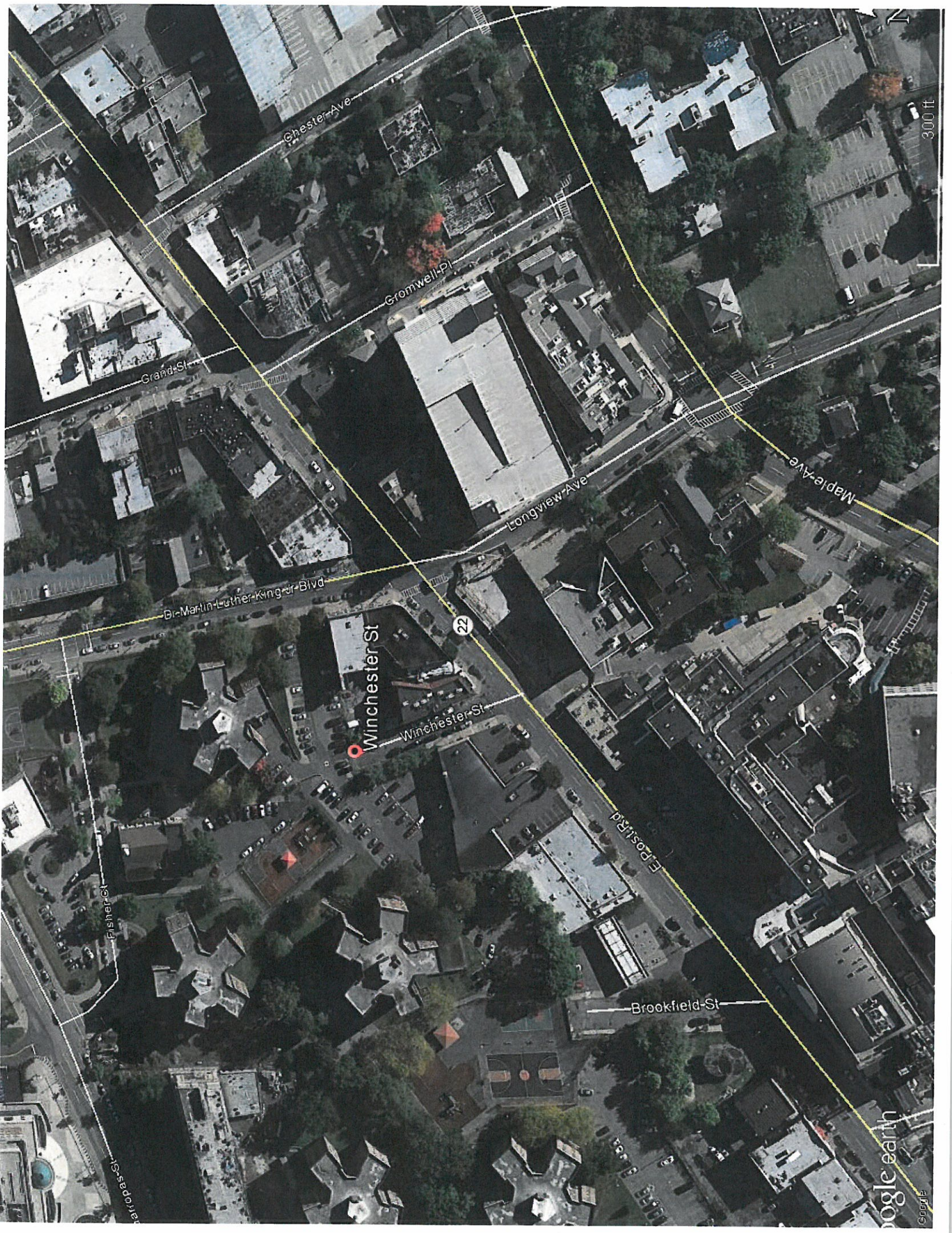
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Hi Tom & Tony,

I have received a couple of complaints about vehicles parking in non-metered spaces overnight on Winchester St. obstructing the driveway behind 66 E Post Rd. I think I recall that area being a no parking zone at one point, but can not locate it in the ordinance book.

Would you be able to double check that for me and let me know?

Thanks DD



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